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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. Lewis Monroe and children are confined to their home with grippe.

Mr. R. E. Knight and members of his family are confined to their home in Prince street suffering from grippe.

Miss Thelma Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Allen, who has been ill with Spanish flu is improving.

Mr. Vance H. Peele who for the past week has been confined to his residence at the Virginia apartment suffering from grippe, is able to be out again.

An appeal is made by the Y. M. C. A., Camp Humphreys, for old magazines and novels for the convalescent soldiers They should be left Saturday morning at 511 Cameron street.

Mrs. Dove, of Fairfax county, has announced the marriage of her daughter, Alma Davis, to Harry Gunder, of Ohio. The ceremony took place at the residence of Mrs. H. S. Crockett, on Friday, October 4, at 8 o'clock.

POPE TO MAKE 'APPEAL

Pontiff Has Selected November 2 (All Souls' Day) For His Move.

That Pope Benedict will appeal to the world to accept President Wilson's fourteen peace principles was indicated in reports reaching Washington today. These stated that the Pope has selected November 2—All Souls' day—for his move.

In this connection it is significant that the Holy See knew as early as October 3 that Austria would appeal to President Wilson for peace, accepting his fourteen points. Dispatches further disclose that Austria's plight is serious, and that whatever Germany answers to the President's test of her peace sincerity, Austria and Turkey cannot long survive the growing demands in their countries for an end to the struggle.

This probably accounts for President Wilson's decision to let Austria "sweat" for the moment. Later he will reply to her peace offer, submitted simultaneously with that of Germany—and probably will answer it more at length.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Jennie T. Foster died yesterday afternoon at her residence in the Carlyle apartment. The body was taken to Wheatley's chapel and prepared for burial.

Mrs. Lillian C. Robartes, wife of Lieut. Robartes, of Camp Humphreys, Va., died yesterday afternoon at the Alexandria Hospital. The body was shipped to Long Island, N. Y., by undertaker Wheatley for burial.

Dennis Quann, seventeen years old who was employed as check clerk at the plant of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, died today at 1203 Duke street.

Mrs. Myers, wife of Maj. Clarence C. Myers, died yesterday at the residence of J. P. H. Mason near Accotink, Va. The body was taken to Demaine's chapel and will be shipped to Chester, Pa., for burial.

Thomas Padgett, two years old, son of Edwin H. Padgett, died last night at his parents' home Braddock.

Mrs. Elizabeth Dollinger, wife of Corp. Peter Dollinger, of Camp Humphreys, Va., died this morning at Christ Church parish hall hospital. She was twenty-eight years old. The body was taken to Demaine's and will be shipped tonight to Buffalo, N. Y., for burial.

CAPTURE OF CAMBRAI

Allies Take Twenty-One Thousand Prisoners and Three Hundred Guns In Two Days.

The German army is still in full retreat on a wide front between the Scarpe river (opposite Arras) and the Oise, about thirty-five miles.

Following the penetration of Cambrai, British troops continue to press on. New breaches have been made in the Hindenburg line.

The French have contributed largely to the new gains on the St. Quentin front by smashing the German defenses east and southeast of the city.

On the Meuse river front the Americans have breached the Kriemhilde line over a wide front, taking many prisoners, and are pressig on.

London Oct. 10.—Cambrai, the once flourishing industrial city, now a smouldering heap of ruins, was finally and completely captured by the British and Americans yesterday in the course of a sweeping advance along a thirty-mile front between that wrecked town and the northeast of St. Quentin. The Yankees and Britishers plunged ahead between four and seven miles, the maximum advance made in the center, where they advanced from Villers-Outreaux, which they captured yesterday, to Busigny, a little more than two miles southeast of Maretz. Their line tonight runs through Busigny, and Maretz is outflanked.

They are in the outskirts of Bohain, eleven miles northeast of St Quentin.

Berlin officially admits a breach through the German center.

Field Marshal Haig, in his night report, says his forces are "advancing rapidly eastward."

Ten thousand prisoners and between 10 and 200 guns were bagged in today's smash. Tuesday 11,000 prisoners and 200 guns were taken, making 21,000 prisoners and at least 300 guns for two days.

AUTO SLACKERS.

Police to Get Names of Persons Using Machines Sunday—Their Names Will be Published.

The attention of the local fuel commission has been called to the many violations in this city last Sunday, of the request of Dr. Garfield's for the conservation of gasoline. That Alexandria may do its part as other cities are doing, the commission has decided to ask the co-operation of the local police, that every person operating a machine without a permit will be interrogated, and if their reasons are not satisfactory to the commission, their names will be published, that the people may know who are slackers. This policy has been adopted in Richmond, where on last Sunday, there were only four violations; other cities have found it effective.

It is earnestly hoped that our people will realize the importance of this request of Dr. Garfield's, and will meet it with that patriotic willingness with which every good citizen should, and thus save the local commission the embarrassment of publishing their names.

FISH DAY TOMORROW

Large and medium rock fish, large white perch, blue fish, Norfolk spots, steak pollock, butterfish, flounders, oysters 50 cents quart haddock, Jersey trout, salt water taylors. Sanitary Fish Market, City Market. Phone 735. 241-1t.

JUDGE THORNTON DIES

Distinguished Jurist Passed Away This Morning at Manassas—Had Been on Bench Eleven Years and Recently Resigned—Funeral at 11 a. m. Saturday.

Judge J. B. T. Thornton, sixty-two years old, died at 5 o'clock this morning at his home, Manassas, Prince William County, Va., He had been in failing health for a long time and owing to poor health he tendered his resignation as judge of the circuit courts for the sixteenth judicial circuit to Gov. Davis effective September 1, and was succeeded by Judge Samuel G. Brent.

The deceased is survived by his wife who was Miss Fanny Bauder of Caroline county, Va.

His father lived at Brentsville, Prince William County where he conducted a large school.

Judge Thornton was appointed judge of the circuit courts for this judicial circuit in the autumn of 1907. In addition to his wife he is survived by a brother, State Senator R. Ewell Thornton.

Judge Thornton was one of the most popular judges that ever occupied the bench in this circuit and as judge he made many friends by his uniform courtesy and general demeanor. He had a host of friends among the members of the bar association as well as all with whom he came in contact. Only recently, just before his retirement from the bench, he was presented with a handsome silver service by the members of the bar association of this circuit as a token of their high esteem for him. On that occasion the judge entertained the members of the association at his home as he had done on numerous occasions before.

His funeral will take place at 11 o'clock Saturday from his home at Manassas. It is expected that many members of the bar association from this city will attend.

YANK HEROES' KIN DUPED BY FAKERS

New York, Oct. 10.—Federal investigators are hunting for the perpetrators of a particularly mean swindle on families bereaved of heroes on the battlefront.

Guided by the gold stars on service flags in humble neighborhoods, the swindlers introduce themselves to mourning mothers or wives as representatives of the Government. Sometimes they have the audacity to wear military uniforms.

As explained by an agent of the Department of Justice, the method is to inform the woman of the house the Government is seeking the portraits of all those who have fallen. The Government desires them in order to publish a handsome album of heroes, the swindlers state.

A copy of this work, they add, will be sent to the bereaved relatives. They ask for a picture of the son, husband or brother "killed in action." And when they get it, they spring a "nominal" charge of $1.92 for the labor and material used by the Government and then a "reduced" price of $4 or so for a special frame.

GROCERIES

Butter and Eggs, received from the valley of Virginia Tuesday and Fridays. Best roll butter 55 cents per pound. Star hams 38 cents per pound. A nice line of groceries sold on small margin. J. E. PURGELL, 117 South Henry Street. Phone 567w. 241-3t.

FOR SANITARY WORK

Bills of Dr. W. L. Wood For $1,764 Presented—Attention Want Sewer on Royal Street to Creek—$75,000 Loan Passed—Other Business by Common Council.

At an adjourned meeting of the common council last night bills amounting to $1,764.90 incurred by Dr. W. L. Wood, special state health officer in the sanitary campaign inaugurated here some time ago, were presented and referred to the joint committee finance and health.

One of the bills was from H. T. Beach and Brother for $620 for scavenger work and other from T. C. Hoy for $1044.90 for metal cans.

Dr. J. J. Garvey, deputy health officer, who was present, stated that out of the $10,000 appropriation there was probably about $750 unexpended with several bills outstanding. Dr. Garvey added that the health department started to install 350 boxes to cost $12 each and instead installed 460 at a cost of $15 each.

Councilman Ruben inquired about the collection of the money for the boxes, and President Burke replied that it will be a burden against the property owners.

B. W. Morse, vice president and general manager of the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation, sent a letter to council calling attention to the open sewer at the foot of South Royal street, which he declared to be very detrimental to health and he urged haste in the construction of a sewer to Hunting Creek.

It was referred to the committee on finance and streets.

Councilman Ruben asked about the appeal of the city's case relative to the water rates. The matter it was stated will be investigated.

An ordinance to provide for a company yet to be named the right to erect poles and fixtures and to string cables and wires was referred to the joint committee on finance and streets.

Councilman Kaufman desired to know about the increase in the salary for policemen and he was informed it still was in the hands of a committee.

Petition of B. B. Ezrine to erect frame office building in rear of 904 King street was referred to street committee as also was petition of M. H. Janney to make improvements at 804 King street. Permission was granted Charles McKenny to repair houses 205 and 207 Wolfe street recently damaged by fire.

Resolution of Councilman Kaufman appropriating $30 for to be paid firemen for three months' work in looking after public toilets was referred to public property committee.

K. W. Ogden, chief of the fire department, presented two bills amounting to $44.75 for damages done to automobiles by fire apparatus and they were referred to the public property committee.

The report of the finance committee recommending that a temporary loan of $75,000 be made, and of this amount $15,000 shall go to the credit of the gas fund was adopted.

There were ten members present.

Waste not, Want not—Save and buy Liberty Bonds.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of stockholders of the Washington Safe Deposit Company Incorporated will be held at the office of the company 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on Tuesday, November 5, 1918, at 12 o'clock noon for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

John C. Schroeder, Asst. Secy.

PLANS FOR BOND DRIVE

Committee Meeting Tomorrow Night One Hundred and Fifty to Participate in Whirlwind Campaign Sunday Afternoon—Everybody Should Buy a Bond.

Final plans for the drive Sunday afternon in the interest of the sale of Liberty Loan Bonds will be mapped out at a general meeting of the committee in charge of the drive which is slated to be held at 8 o'clock tomorrow night in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce.

The drive will be made by 150 representive men who will divide the city off for their purpose of making a house to house canvass. According to present plans the drive will begin at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and end at 5 oclock. All persons are urged to stay at home and be ready to give the solicitor a big subscription.

You must remember you are not favoring the solicitor, but you are helping your country win the war when you buy a bond. Also you should remember that it is your patriotic duty to buy a bond, and then again you are not giving away something, but you are going to get four and one-quarter per cent interest on your money backed by the government of the United States the greatest government in the world. Don't be a slacker buy a bond even if you have to make a sacrifice. Think of the boys "over there" who are fighting to keep you safe at home and you will not hesitate. No man can offer a good excuse for not buying a bond.

FLU HAS RUN ITS COURSE

This is the Opinion of Dr. W. L. Wood Special State Health Officer.

That the epidemic of Spanish flu has about run its course was the opinion expressed today by Dr. W. L. Wood, special state health officer, and also the United States Public Health Service.

Dr. Wood says there are comparatively few new cases so far as he has been able to learn, and he thinks the disease is diminishing. The physicians of the city, however, have been so busy that they have been unable to report the actual number of cases existing in the city.

GREAT GERMAN BANKS UNABLE TO STOP PANIC

Zurich, October 10.—Measures taken by the great banks to stop a panic in the German stock exchanges had only a temporary effect, according to the Post of Munich.

Provincial capitalists took a certain time to grasp what was transpiring, and then threw blocks of stock on the market. There were no purchasers for these securities, and the Post says:

"It is a genuine crash this time." Munition stocks such as Daimler are not quoted at Berlin for there are no buyers.

LUDENDORFF COLLAPSE REPORTED; QUITS POST

From one of the European neutral countries today a report reached the State Department that Gen. Ludendorff has suffered a physical collapse and relinquished command of the German army.

"Heavy sorrow will make you groan if you don't subscribe to the Liberty Loan."

WANT FRUIT STONES

Receptacles For Collection of Fruit Stones Placed at Stores—To be Turned Over to Rer Cross and Used For War Work.

Throughout the United States particular attention is being called to the campaign for combatting German poison gas. The government requests and demands every man, woman and child who have the good of our gallant soldiers and nurses at heart to assist by gathering and conserving fruit pits and shells.

The government asks you to save materials you are now throwing away. You are asked to consider that the refuse from your kitchen will help save the life of a man in the trenches and furthermore you are urged to collect and to turn over to the Red Cross the fruit pits or nut shells included in the following list:

Peach stones, apricot pits, prune pits, plum pits, olive pits, date seeds cherry pits, butter-nut shells, brazil nut shells walnut shells hickory-nut shells.

Receptacles have been placed in many of the stores in town and more will be provided as required. The following named are now ready to receive the seeds, etc., and forward them to the Red Cross headquarters at the chamber of commerce.

Leadbeater, King and Fairfax; A. Katz, King and Royal; Swan Bros. King and Pitt; Rubens, King and St. Asaph; Brawner's, King and Washington; A. Domiphan, King and Columbus; Gibson, King and Alfred; Old Dutch Market King St.; Atlantic & Pacific, Commerce and King; Sanitary Grocery, Payne and King; Union Station, head of King st.

CONVENTION POSTPONED

United War Work Campaign Meeting Will Be Held in Richmond October 29.

On account of the order issued by the State Board of Health prohibiting public meetings, closing theaters, schools, churches because of the epidemic of Influenza, the United War Work Convention which was scheduled for Tuesday, October 22, has been postponed until Tuesday, October 29, at which time it is hoped that the malady which has swept the state and country will be checked.

This United War Work Conference will be of material interest to the representatives and the workers of its various organizations, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., Catholic War Council, Jewish Welfare Board, War Work Community Service, Salvation Army and American Library Association

GERMAN FOOD POOR

Amsterdam, Oct. 10.—"It may truly be said that the people are being given stones for bread," the Berlin Vorwaerts says in commenting on a food adulteration statement issued by Director Roehrig, of the municipal analytical bureau of Leipzig.

Director Roehrig asserted samples he examined of prepared meats contained "the most loathsome slaughter house offal," and that chalk, plaster, alum, soda, sawdust and plain common clay are in great demand and fetch unprecedated prices because they are used extensively for purposes of adulteration."

CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank our many friends and acquaintances for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear mother, Annie E. Hunter, also for the beautiful floral offerings.

By Henry and Thomas Hunter.

HAS THE KAISER QUIT?

Persistent Rumors That He Has Abdicated—Disturbances in Berlin and Other German Cities.

London, Oct. 10.—Persistent rumors are reaching Stockholm to the effect that the Kaiser has abdicated, according to a dispatch to the London Post. Serious disturbances are occurring in Berlin and other German cities, the dispatch adds.

Washington, Oct. 10.—Rumors of the Kaiser's abdication or serious illness were first current in Europe several days ago.

In connection with this it is noted that the reports of overthrow of the Hohenzollerns were expected to be circulated at the same time the German peace offensive was launched.

Recently the kaiser was reported so ill that he was forced to cancel all engagements.

A few days later word was received that he had been at Mannheim to make an address and was forced to flee from an air raid hiding in a cellar.

SET BEAR TRAPS IN NO MAN'S LAND

London, Oct. 10.—Scarcely a day passes but that the news reports tells us of some new evidence of the application of Yanks ingenuity to help prosecution of the war. The latest sample is credited to an Indian contingent which successfully tried out setting bear traps in No Man's Land. The Indians were simply applying an idea of their own West where big game is plentiful. The traps are placed outside the American wire, and when a Fritz crawls out to gain a little information he gets caught.

GERMANS PLANNED TO SACK PARIS.

Paris, Oct. 10.—In his preface to a book just published by M. Cuorriere, "How Paris Was Saved," General Maunoury, the victor of the Ourcq who contributed so much to the saving of the capital in 1914, gives the inhabitants a hint as to what they might have expected to happen but for that memorable success.

He says General von Gluck, the German commander, boasted at one of his camps early in September, 1914, that Paris would be given over to the fury and vandalism of his soldiers as soon as he entered the city.

The sacking of Paris by the Germans leaves little to be imagined, and were it not for the victory of those brave men, many of whom no longer live, the capital may have resembled today a smoking mass of ruins and fires—a Pompeii in ruins.

U. S. STEAMSHIP SUNK MAY BE BIG LIFE LOSS

An Atlantic Port, Oct. 10—News of the sinking by submarine of a large American steamship, with the probable loss of many of her crew, was brought here today by a British freighter. The British ship had aboard many survivors of the American vessel.

The American steamship, said to have carried a large crew, was shelled and then torpedoed, according to officers of the rescue ship. The attack was made five days ago.

It was reported in maritime circles that the U-boat's victim was the Ticonderoga, formerly the German steamer Camilla Sirkmers, of 5,130 gross tons. The ship was interned at Manila at the beginning of the war.

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DEATH OF JUDGE THORNTON

As will be seen elsewhere, Judge J. B. T. Thornton, who had been in failing health some time, passed away at his home at Manassas at an early hour this morning.

While it had been known for some time that the days of this well-known and justly esteemed jurist were few, and that his death might be expected at any time, the announcement of his passing away was received in Alexandria with expressions of sincere regret as it will be throughout the State.

He had many acquaintances among our people before he became Circuit Judge, but since that time his frequent visits to Alexandria in his official capacity had greatly increased his number of friends and acquaintances.

Mild-mannered and courteous, he was approachable to any one, and his pleasant and easy manners rendered every one at home with him.

While enjoying the respect of all, he equally enjoyed their confidence, and his decease will be generally regretted.

Judge Thornton was of the type of the true Virginia gentleman. While an eminent jurist whose opinions were respected by all, the easy and mild manner in which he performed his duty as judge of the court was a matter of comment.

In the words of holy writ it may be said: "The righteous perisheth and merciful men are taken away, none considering that the righteous is taken away from the evil to come. He shall enter into peace: they shall rest in their beds, each one walking in his uprighteness."

THE "TANNERY DITCH."

As will be seen by the proceedings of the Common Council last night, the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation wants the tan yard ditch, on Royal street from Franklin to Hunting Creek, walled over.

What has been known from time immemorial as tan yard ditch began on Henry street, north of Cameron, and ran south to Duke street where it took a southeasterly direction, until it reached Wilkes street where it ran east to Washington street. It passed under that thoroughfare, where it resumed a southeasterly course, until it reached Royal street, thence south into Hunting Creek.

The name tan yard ditch was given from the fact that in the olden time it ran through two tan yards, the Kinsey tannery on Alfred street, between Wolfe and Wilkes and the tannery of C. C. Smoot and Son's on Wilkes street between Washington and St. Asaph.

About thirty years ago this ditch was made a part of a trunk sewer when it was walled over to Franklin street. It was subsequently covered about half a square south. Four squares of the ditch, that is from Franklin street to Hunting Creek, have remained open, however.

Dwelling houses are now being constructed in close proximity to the open ditch, and the time has come when the city will be compelled to wall it over as far as the creek.

The application of the shipbuilding corporation was referred to the committees on Finance and Streets.

A DAY OF FUNERALS.

The 18th proximo will be the sixty-third anniversary of the funerals of seven our our noble Alexandria firemen who lost their lives early on the morning of November 17, 1855, by a falling wall in the store of Dowell and Turner, on the north side of King street, between Fairfax and Lee. The particulars of this horror have often been published. There were seven funerals on the Sunday following, two in the morning and five in the afternoon.

Today has been another funeral day in Alexandria. The remains of five persons were interred today. They were victims of the prevailing epidemic.

A TRANSPARENT TRICK.

A Marylander, formerly a captain in the United States army, makes some practical suggestions concerning Germany's endeavor to bring on an armistice. He says:

"Germany asks for a truce, or armistice. Upon what grounds? And for whose benefit? The grounds are to give her a standing as an unbeaten power. The benefit being for her and her alone. In our Civil War, in 1862, the commandant of Fort Donaldson, asked of Gen. U. S. Grant to give him terms. Grant replied: 'There are no terms but unconditional surrender. I propose to move upon your works immediately.'

This can and should be the answer to Germany. What has brought Germany to this humble state of mind? Is it contrition? No, it is because she feels the entering wedge; she sees the handwriting on the wall. Attilla has come to his second Chalons.

Should a sentiment of pity cause a stay of the Allied offensive? Think of Belgium. Think of the millions of previous lives offered up. The billions of treasure spent, and the anguish and suffering of a world of heartbroken people who mourned while Germany laughed and threatened more.

The talk that Germany is playing a trick to gain time, is not reasonable. She would be capable of doing so, but for what end. The inevitable has come. Germany is beaten and German officials admit it. They are playing for the position of equality in the peace conference, and to hide the fact of their true position, not only from their enemies, but from the people—the plain people the fatherland. That Germany is beaten, one has only to turn to the printed work and speech of Governor-General von Bissing, in which he says: "If we do not win Belgium for Germany into our power sphere, if we do not manage it and use it in German fashion, then we have lost the war. The conquest of Belgium has been forced upon us, and we must keep what the sword has won. The importance of Belgium for Germany has been proved for 800 years. As long as Germany was powerful she held Belgium under influence. To give up the possession of the Belgian coast, our fleet will lack important bases for its share in the protection of our Colonial Empire. We must win and control Belgium—or we have lost the war."

Does it take the reader long to understand what is meant by the above extracts, coming from the master mind of Herr von Bissing the maker of German ideals? No Germany has lost, and knows it. She is simply parleying for recognition to have a voice in the coming peace and the governing powers of the federations of the world. She should have no voice—not even be allowed to dot an "i" or cross a "t."

DIPLOMATIC DANGER.

Germany's plea for an armistice is founded, both American and allied military officials believe, upon recognition in Berlin of the fact that the German army organization in France is slowly disintegrating under the terrific campaign of Marshall Foch. These officers regard the move of the German chancellor as a desperate attempt to escape serious military disaster and they would not be surprised if President Wilson's condition that there can be no talk of an armistice except when coupled with agreement to withdraw immediately from all invaded territory were promptly accepted.

The answer to such a move, it is suggested would be to leave to Marshal Foch the dictation of the terms of the armistice. Should the situation soon result that will give the supreme commander cause to demand to see that no military advantage to the enemy resulted. In the meantime Marshal Foch hour by hour is outstanding the German forces with new perils as his strategic conceptions are developed.

Evidence of the waning resisting power of the German forces in France is plainly seen by observers in the sweep forward of the Anglo-American forces north of St. Quentin. Signs of confusion have been noted repeatedly. Worn out divisions have been called upon to check the assault of fresh allied troops and have been cut to pieces.

Switzerland in the last week has been swarming with German, Austrian and Turkish peace pioneers, sent from their capitals to try to get in touch with diplomats of the Allied countries. The watchword of the emissaries of the Central Powers is an immediate armistice in order to avoid further bloodshed.

In an article summing up the present diplomatic situation, the Democrat of Geneva says the Entente countries never have been in such great danger—not militarily, but diplomatically—since 1914.

"If the belligerents meet now round a green table," the newspaper says, "the Austro-Germans will employ loaded dice and win the game which will result in another war within 12 years."

INVOKES SHADE OF BISMARCK

Reichsbote, organ of the state church party of Germany and mouthpiece of the German Empress, is appealing for the aid of the spirit of Bismarck in the present crisis. The article says:

"German nation, go into your churches and pray to your God to be merciful. Beseech Him to endow your Kaiser with the power to awaken Bismarck from the dead, to galvanize the spirit of this Hercules with life, to cleanse the German Augean stable, to kill the hydra-head of discord among us, and rescue his people from faint-heartedness, treason and decay!"

Aesop in one of his fables tells of a sick kite which requested its progenitor to visit the altars and pray for her recovery. The mater is quoted as saying, "Would you have me ask aid of the gods from whose altars you have snatched sacrifices?"

Germany, after demolishing cathedrals, statues, etc., and using knives upon pictures of our Saviour, is asked to appeal to the powers she has defied during the past four years.

King Saul found himself deserted after disobeying the commands of high heaven. He could obtain no answers through Urim and Thummin, and Samuel, the prophet, was dead. He had recourse to the witch of Endor and Samuel unexpectedly appeared to both. The Israelitish king heard of coming events—events which were to take place on the morrow—which temporarily paralyzed him with fear.

Could the shade of Bismarck appear he would doubtless call attention to the fact that after the Franco Prussian war he warned his people of the danger of annexing Alsace Lorraine and of engaging in war with Russia. Germany disobeyed the injunction of the iron chancellor and is now reaping what she has sown.

YANKS HAVE OPEN COUNTRY AHEAD

With The American First Army, Oct. 10.—The Americans are through the Kriemhilde line on a front of six kilometers (nearly four miles) they have smashed the last organized defenses in this region, west of the Meese, and are advancing northward with only natural defenses between them and the Belgian frontier.

The Argonne pocket has been wiped out by the junction of French and Americans at Lancon. The Americans are moving up through the forest with the engineers blazing the way.

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SIR ERIC AT MOUNT VERNON

British Naval Chief to Visit Annapolis Today

Washington, Oct. 10.—Sir Eric Geddes, First Lord of the British Admiralty, visited Mount Vernon yesterday as the guest of Secretary Daniels. Sir Eric laid a wreath of roses on Washington's tomb and was escorted through the mansion. On the return trip to Washington the party stopped at Alexandria, where historic Christ Church was visited, Sir Eric signing the church register.

Lady Grant, wife of Admiral Grant, commander-in-chief of British naval forces in American waters, gave a reception aboard the British cruiser Warrior this evening in honor of Sir Eric and the other members of the British Admiralty Board.

Tomorrow Sir Eric and the Admiralty Board will visit the Naval Academy at Annapolis as the guests of Secretary Daniels. Rear-Admiral Edward W. Eberle, superintendent of the academy, will give a luncheon in their honor and Sir Eric and Secretary Daniels will review the brigade of midshipmen.

FAIRFAX PERSISTS IN RUBIN DEMAND

Fairfax officials today expressed disappointment at the district officials refusal to release to them Ben Rubin, who escaped from the Fairfax jail and was captured by the District police.

The Fairfax authorities say they are convinced Rubin is not the murderer of Eva Roy.

District officials are willing for the Fairfax authorities to have Rubin for a few days as a witness only, but the Virginia authorities are anxious to try him on indictment for murder.

The District authorities also contend Rubin must complete a three-year term he was serving at the time of his recent escape from Lorton reformatory. He also is held here on several charges of burglary and assault.

BOYS DIG GRAVES

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 10.—On account of the difficulty in securing grave diggers, boys at the high school volunteered their services and dug a number of graves for influenza victims. The action of the high school boys is in line with the spirit which has characterized people all through the epidemic in Wilmington.

THE PRISONERS.

Paris, Sept. 28. (By Mail).—Exchanged prisoners of war come back to Italy by way of Lake Como, and of all the sights of this war, that of an arrival of exchanged Italian prisoners is the most pitiful.

In Italy Austrian prisoners are well cared for, well-treated, well fed. They go home well and strong. In return for them Austria sends back human wrecks, horrible to see. It sends back men mutilated, men wasted by starvation and disease, men who have suffered the most horrible cruelties. As each arriving train comes in half the returned prisoners have to be carried in litters. Not because they are wounded, nor ill, but because they have been starved.

Each train is met by the American Y. M. C. A. with cigarettes and such things as the soldiers want Y. M. C. A. secretaries pass among the poor fellows giving them what comfort they can and what assistance is possible. Secretaries representing the Y., Knights of Columbus, Y. W. C. A., Salvation Army and Jewish Welfare board are doing wonderful work among the prisoners.

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DEATHS.

HUDSON—On Wednesday, October 9, at 1.30 a. m. at Peoria, Ill., INDIA A. HUDSON, Notice of funeral hereafter. 240-2t.

MASONIC NOTICE.

The regular Communication of Alexandria Washington Lodge No. 22, A. F. and A. M. will be held Thursday, evening, October 10th at 7:30 o'clock. On account of the prevailing epidemic we will simply open and close. By order Worshipful Master.

A. G. UHLER, Secy.

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P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.40, 2.00, 2.20, 2.40, 3.00, 3.20, 3.40, 4.00, 4.20, 4.40, 5.00, 5.20, 5.40, 6.00, 6.20, 6.40, 7.00, 7.20, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40.
A. M.—12.00.
*Except Sundays and Holidays.
†Except Sundays.

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A. M.—*6.25, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55.
P. M.—12.55, 1.55, 2.55, 3.55, 4.55, 5.55, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.55, 11.55.
*Except Sundays.

LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 7th day of October, 1918.

Roberta L. Smith, Complainant vs. Bazel M. Smith, Defendant. In Chancery.

Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant from the defendant, on the ground of desertion, and for special relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Bazel M. Smith is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

A Copy—Teste

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk

Edmund Hill, Jr. P. Q.
240-4w.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 7th day of October, 1918.

Roscoe C. Nownes, Complainant, vs. Lena Mae Nownes. In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Lena Mae Nownes is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

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GERMANY'S REPLY.

Wilson Places War Continuation Burden Squarely Upon Teutons.

President Wilson's note of inquiry is now in Germany and all signs point an early reply from Prince Max of Baden, imperial German chancellor, to whom it was addressed.

An early response does not indicate eagerness on the part of the chancelior to answer the President's three questions, which have so abruptly placed the burden of a continuation of the war on the central powers. Military necessity, the same military necessity that caused Germany to seek peace, is the compelling reason. In addition, the President, it is understood, is not in a frame of mind to brook unnecessary delay.

With the full force of the President's intentions established in their minds, officials and diplomats yesterday afternoon figured that delay, under the present circumstances, would be fatal to Germany. They laid stress on the fact that the allied armies are daily advancing toward German soil and exacting, on the way, tremendous losses in life and material from the enemy.

And they also pointed out that unseemly delay on the part of the chancellor in replying to the President might bring about the final disillusionment of the German people. The latter would realize, it was declared, that the Hohenzollerns and their military autocracy were alone responsible for the prolongation of the war.

Solely in this respect, it was said the President's note would sow the seeds of revolution in Germany, and in this manner accomplish something for which the entire world has been hoping.

U. S. LEGATION AT MOSCOW IS RAIDED.

Stockholm, Oct. 10.--The American legation at Moscow has been raided and some papers confiscated, according to a dispatch received here today.

OFFICIAL.

Common Council.

At an adjourned meeting of the Common Council of the City of Alexandria, Va., held October 9th, there were present:

H. R. Burke, esq., president and Messrs. McCaffery, Sullivan, Fletcher, Ruben, Desmond, Devers, Ballenger, Matter Kaufman.

A resolution authorizing the Finance Committee to borrow the sum of $75,000 and issue obligations of the city council from time to time was received from the board of Aldermen under date of Oct. 8th, and passed Ayes Messrs. McCaffery, Matter, Ruben, Desmond, Sullivan, Ballenger, Fletcher, Devers and Mr. President —9. Noes 0.

A petition from M. H. Janney to repair property at 604 King street was granted.

An ordinance to provide for the granting by the City of Alexandria in the manner prescribed by law the right to construct necessary poles and fixtures and run cables to transmit electric current and power was offered by Mr. Ruben and referred to the joint committee on Finance and Streets.

A communication from the Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation calling attention to the unsanitary condition of the Tan Yard ditch was referred to the joint committee on Finance and Streets.

Bills to Dr. W. D. State Health Officer from H. T. Beach and Bro $620 and Thomas C Hoy $1044.90 was referred to the joint committee on Finance and Health.

A resolution by Mr. Kaufman appropriating $30 to care for Public Toilets was referred to the committee on Public property.

Bills from the Remschel Auto Sales Co. $6.75 and $88.00 for repairs to automobiles damaged by the Fire Department was referred to the Committee on Claims.

A petition from B. B. Ezrine to erect frame building rear of store 910 King street was referred to the committee on streets.

The committee on streets recommended that permission be granted Charles McKenney to repair two houses at No. 205-207 Wolfe street and the report was adopted.

The board then adjourned.

Teste: Daniel R. Stansbury, C. C.

H R Burke, President

PIANO BROUGHT BY AIR LINE

Bombing Plane Bears It From London to Paris.

Paris, Oct. 10.—One of the new large Allied bombing planes, in order to demonstrate its carrying capacity has brought from London to Paris a full sized upright piano. The machine landed in Paris safely after its flight across the English channel.

The airplane is capable of carrying six persons and much bombing explosives. When this weight is measured in pounds, however, it is not readily comprehended and it was determined to bring over a piano as clear evidence of the machine's capacity.

HUNS HURRYING HOME

France-Belgian Border in Sight As Allies Push Germans Back Homeward.

All signs, official and unofficial, point to the evacuation of Northern France, if not also of Belgium, by the Germans before the end of the year.

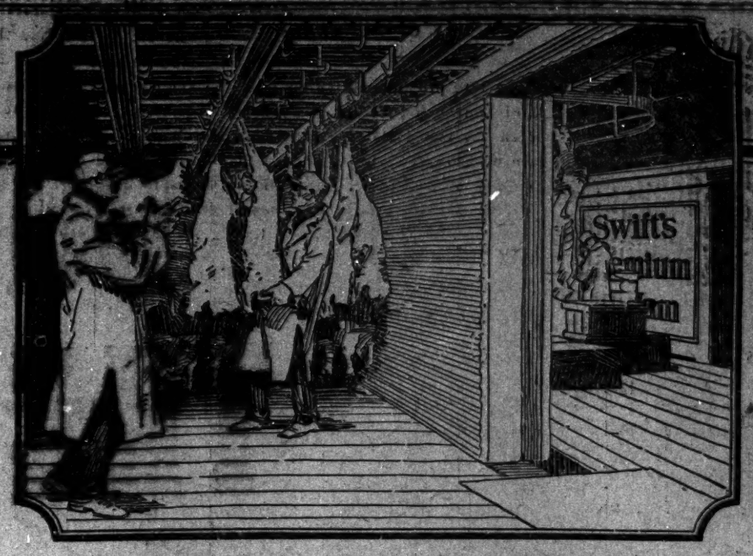
The great retreat which seems to have already begun may extend as far eastward as the line of Antwerp-Namur-Dinant-Lonkwy-Metz. This would place the British and Belgians in control of every seaport in Belgium, including submarine bases at Ostend and Zeebrugge, from which the Huns have directed their undersea campaign.

It will at least carry the German armies to the Franco-Belgian border.

If Foch's 250-mile drive on the whole front gathers enough momentum and if his tactics prove as successful as they have been in Picardy and Ile de France, it seems likely he will effect a break-through on the new line. If this happens nothing can stop the Allied armies from making a clean sweep of Belgium and French Flanders.

SOUTHERN MAKING MONEY

New York, Oct. 10—The Southern Railway, despite increased maintenance and operating costs, earned $14,687,415 during the calendar year 1917. After the payment of the preferred dividends, the annual report shows, there were left available funds equivalent to a 10.4 per cent dividend on the $120,000,000 of outstanding common stock.



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KAISER AND PEACE

German Emperor Has Sole Power to Bring Hostilities to a Close

Under the constitution of the German empire the kaiser has the exclusive right to make peace.

This fact, not generally known was pointed to by students of international relations in New York last night as probably the main basis for President Wilson's wise and far-sighted inquiry of Prince Max of Baden:

"The President also feels that he is justified in asking whether the imperial chancellor is speaking merely for the constituted authorities of the empire who have so far conducted the war."

The authorities to which the President refers are defined in Article II of the German consctitution, which says:

"The presidency of the federation (of states making up the empire) is to be in the hands of the King of Prussia who bears the title of "German emperor.'

"The kaiser has the right to represent the empire internationally, to declare war and conclude peace in the name of the empire, as well as enter into treaties and other agreements with foreign nations, and to appoint and receive Ambassadors (and Ministers).

"Declaration of war in the name of the empire must be sanctioned by the bundsrat (federal council), except when the empire's territory or its coasts are attacked."

The kaiser's prerogative to conclude peace is thoroughly independent of the sanction and consent of the bundsrat or reichstag.

SEIZES HOUSE AT NORFOLK

Navy Department Calls 30 Per Cent Rent Jump Profiteering.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 10.—W. B. Aydelotte, industrial agent of the Norfolk navy yard, yesterday, in the name of the Navy Department, commandeered a house in Norfolk occupied by Ship's Draftsman C. A. Thayer and owned by the Greenway Court Investment Company, declaring that an increase of 30 per cent in the rental, not based on actual increase in value or improvements, was profiteering.

The former rental of the house was $25 per month and Thayer was notified that, beginning October 1, the rental would be increased to $32.50 per month. Thayer refused to pay the increased rental and appealed to the yard officials for relief, the action following.

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TURKEY IS TOPPLING

Ottoman Empire Standing Now on One Post Only

Paris, Oct. 10.—"Turkey is absolutely toppling", Henry Morgenthau, former United States ambassador to the Porte, yesterday told a liberty loan meeting here. "She stood on four posts—Jerusalem, Bagdad, Damascus, and Constantinople," he said. "Three of these posts have been taken away. It is impossible for Turkey to stand on one post, just as it is impossible for a chair to stand on one leg.

Mr. Morgenthau predicted that Turkey will fall within a few weeks and Austria shortly afterward, leaving Germany standing alone. He said that Germany already knows she will be defeated and that the German ambassador at Constantinople had told him the Kaiser was preparing for another war.

London, Oct. 10.—The surrender of Turkey within the next 48 hours will not surprise well-informed quarters in London, the Evening Standard says. The British authorities, it adds are in possession of information showing that a process of disintegration exists in Constantinople.

The British foreign office has received indirect news of the fall of the Turkish cabinet, Tewfik Pasha, who, it is reported, will be the new grand vizier, is understood to have proally rather than pro-German sympathies.

According to advices the cabinet had decided to take military measures against Bulgaria, but found the the opinion of the country was against them.

It is rumored that a Turkish peace note has been dispatched through the Spanish government.

Mr. Algernon Coleman Chalmers regrets that owing to the epidemic of influenza in town and the closing of the churches he has had to recall the invitations to the marriage of his sister Mrs. Marion Chalmers Bryant to Mr. Arthur Herbert, Jr., on October 12th at St. Pauls church, Alexandria, Virginia. The wedding will be private. 2t- 240

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VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 31st day of August, 1918.

Fanny Bates Porter vs. Charles H. Porter. In Chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony from the defendant on the grounds of wilful and voluntary desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit; custody of infant children; resumption of maiden name, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Charles H. Porter, is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Robinson Moncure, P. Q. A copy—Teste.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.
By Cora Duffey, D. C.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned having qualified as administrator of the estate of the late James E. Curtin, requests all persons having claims against his estate to present the same properly authenticated for settlement and persons indebted to the estate to settle the same by making payment to him.

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VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 23rd day of September 1918.

Eva Rosetta Jordan, vs., Thomas Jordan, In Chancery.
Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant from the defendant a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the ground of desertion and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Thomas Jordan is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

A. W. Gray and Edmund Hill, jr. P. Q.

A Copy—Teste
228-4w. Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 19th day of September 1918.

Columbus Franklin Sherwood, vs. Katie E. Sherwood. In Chancery.
Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a-measa et thoro upon the ground of wilful desertion and abandonment without just cause or excuse.

It appearing by an affidavit in this cause that the defendant Katie E. Sherwood, is a non-resident of this State; It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit.

R. B. Washington, P. Q.

A copy —Teste
..Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.
223-4t.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 21st day of September 1918.

Bessie Ewell, vs. George Ewell. In Chandery
Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain from the defendant, a divorce a vinculo matrimonii on the grounds of desertion and an abandonment for a period of more than three years and for special relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant George Ewell is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

Edmund Hill, Jr., P. Q.

A Copy —Teste
Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.
226-4w.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 3rd day of October, 1918.

Annie Elizabeth James, vs. Anthony James. In Chancery.

MEMO

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant on the ground of desertion and abandonment and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Anthony James is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

L. B. Perkins, P. Q.

A Copy—Teste
Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk
by Cora Duffey, D. C.
235-4w.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 16th day of September, 1918.

Rena A. Rohr Paxton, vs. Jerome W. Paxton. In Chancery.
Memo:

The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Jerome W. Paxton is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit.

Wm. P. Woolls, P. Q.

A Copy —Teste
Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.
221-4w.

VIRGINIA—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 31st day of August, 1918.

Hylus D. Osborn vs. Margaret A. Osborn. In Chancery.

Memo.—The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant upon the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment for more than three years prior to the institution of this suit.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Margaret A. Osborn, is a non-resident of this State: It is ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit.

Wm. P. Woolls, P. Q. A copy—Teste.
Nevell S. Greenaway.
Clerk.
By Cora Duffey, D. C.
210-4w.

VIRGINIA:

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 17 day of September, 1918.

John H. Jackson, vs. Shellie M. Jackson. In Chancery
Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain a decree granting to the complainant a limited divorce from the defendant, on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment and for general relief.

It appearing by affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Shellie M. Jackson is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit.

Thomas M. Watson P. Q.

A Copy —Teste
Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.
221-4w.

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 20th day of September, 1918.

Adelaide Lavender Pocock, vs. Thomas Stockton Pocock.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant from the defendant on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment, the restoration of her maiden name to the complainant, and for general relief.

That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Thomas Stockton Pocock is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, C. T. Jesse and J. T. McHale, P. Q

A copy—Teste
Nevell S Greenaway, Clerk.
By Cora Duffey, D. C.
235-4w.

AUCTION SALES

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in the undersigned commissioners of Sale by a decree of the Corporation Court of Alexandria, Virginia, entered in the suit of W. E. Gladstone Peters, and others, vs. Ruth T. Todd, and others, on the 11th day of September, 1918, we will offer for sale, at public auction, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building, in the City of Alexandria, on SATURDAY, the 26th day of OCTOBER, 1918, at twelve (12) o'clock noon, the following described property, to-wit:

(1) A certain three story brick dwelling and lot on the south side of Cameron Street, between Washington and St. Asaph Streets, numbered 604 Cameron Street, bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the south side of Cameron Street 52 feet 6 inches west of St. Asaph Street, running thence west on Cameron Street 23 feet 8 inches; thence south parallel with St. Asaph Street 100 feet; thence east parallel with Cameron Street 23 feet 8 inches; and thence in a straight line 100 feet to the point of beginning.

(2) A certain two-story six room frame dwelling known as No. 400 South Royal Street, bounded as follows to-wit:

Beginning at the intersection of the south side of Wolfe Street with the east side of Royal Street, and running thence south on Royal Street 20 feet 6 inches; thence east parallel with Wolfe Street 65 feet, more or less; thence north parallel with Royal Street 20 feet 6 inches; and thence west on Wolfe Street 65 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning.

(3) A certain two-story six room frame dwelling known as No 402 South Royal Street, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east side of Royal Street 20 feet 6 inches south of Wolfe Street, and running thence south on Royal Street 12 feet to an alley 2 feet 10 inches wide; thence east on said alley 2 feet 10 inches wide; thence east on said alley 65 feet, more or less thence north parallel with Royal Street 12 feet; and thence west parallel with Wolfe Street 65 feet, more or less, to the point of beginning, with right of way over said alley in common with owners thereto.

(4) A certain two-story six room frame dwelling known as 402 1-2 South Royal Street, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the east side of Royal Street 35 feet 4 inches south of Wolfe Street, and running thence south on Royal Street 11 feet 11 inches; thence east parallel with Wolfe Street 65 feet, more or less; thence north parallel with Royal Street 11 feet 11 inches; and thence west parallel with Wolfe Street 65 feet, more or less, and on the south side of an alley 2 feet 10 inches wide, to the point of beginning, with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto

(5) A certain two-story six room brick dwelling known as No. 215 Wolfe Street, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning on the north side of Wolfe Street 63 feet 5 inches east of Fairfax Street, and running thence east on Wolfe Street 23 feet 6 inches; thence north 67 feet; thence west 23 feet; thence north 33 feet to a ten foot alley; thence west on said alley 20 feet; and thence south 100 feet to the beginning, with all rights and appurtenances to the said lot of ground belonging.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, and the balance in equal installments one and two years from September 11th, 1918, with interest at six per cent. or all cash at the option of the purchaser. Deferred payment to be secured by deeds of trust. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

JOHN M. JOHNSON,
HOWARD W. SMITH,
Wm. P. WOOLLS.
Commissioners of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, do certify that Howard W. Smith, one of the Commissioners named in the above mentioned decree, has executed the bond required by said decree with aproved surety.

Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk.
By Cora Duffey, D. C.